

1939

Field Trip Central N.Y.  
May 18 - 30, 1959

May 18. Left Washington 7:00 AM.,  
arrived Miljean's Motor Court at 5:30  
P.M. after uneventful trip.

May 19 - Section along Oneida Creek.  
Opinion of Richardson New Scotland  
is that it is shaly Seneca, a reef-  
bank bed.

Top 6" of Seneca limestone contains  
Chonetes ? in abundance. The  
rock is dark and suggests transition  
to The Union Springs.

Oliver stated that a bentonite occurs  
at the base of the Seneca limestone  
at Oneida Creek and in same place  
at Union Springs. He showed that  
the interval between bentonite and  
Cherry Valley is 34' at Union Springs  
and Oneida Creek. The thickness  
is the same as far east as Cherry  
Valley but the Seneca decreases  
in thickness as the Union Springs  
shale increases in the section, but  
always maintaining the combined  
thickness of 34'. He believes therefore  
that the Seneca and Union Springs  
are equivalent and coeval. The  
invariable thickness of the distance  
from Bentonite to Cherry Valley is  
imposed.

Afternoon spent most of time  
collecting Cherry Valley for House,  
visitor from Durham (England).



1940

May 20 - Went to Pecksport to see Pecksport, then to Pine Woods for Salabille. From here to east of Eaton for Mottville, then to Bliss Quarry north of Morrisville. Afternoon went to section of Delphi Station east of Pompey Center on US 20. Late afternoon went to see Pompey on Electric Light & Steam. Butternut exposed above falls with many *Microspirifer*, and large *Athyrid*.

May 21. Went to see Butternut on hill  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles S of Madison. Saw Mottville with Favosites below this quarry. Went to Kingsley Brook for Chenango and base of Ludlowville. In afternoon visited Colgate Campus for Chenango sandstone. Went to Red Gate Stock Farm 2 mi N of Earlville for upper Chenango. Stone Mill and lower Ludlowville. Went to Stone Mill Brook for Stone Mill.

May 22 - Went to Cold Spring Brook for Portland Point & Windom. Then Lurgana to Upperville for Windom and Tully. Afternoon to Windom Quarry east of Lebanon Center. Went to Georgetown to see Tully & Genesee in Warner Glen joined by Sarteneau.

May 23.

Went over to Conklin's Falls on Tully  $\square$ . At base of section was possible up Pompey, followed by sparsely fossiliferous Butternut



1941

Then came about 20 feet of beds abounding in *Leiorhynchus* which I think is probably the *Atypa congregata* of Conrad. This was followed by Colgate ss. The blue shale with *Sp. venustus*. Above this are 52 feet of shale, terminating in a lens followed by 7' of corals. I think all of this belongs in the Cretaceous. Bad rain in afternoon.

May 24 - Bad rainy day. Went to see Quarry in Woodstock member of Onondaga. Went to James Quarry 1 mile east of Tully. Then to New Woodstock for coral bed. Here creek has been dammed & bed covered.

May 25 - Muller Creek for Tully all morning. West Brook 5 of Sherburne in afternoon. Then  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles S of Columbus for eastern Tully. Paul Sartorius found excellent *Hypothyridina* in calcareous lenses.

Beds for nearly 100' above the West Brook fossil bed are thin sandy shales suggestive of Genesee at West Brook rather than Sherburne as we called them.

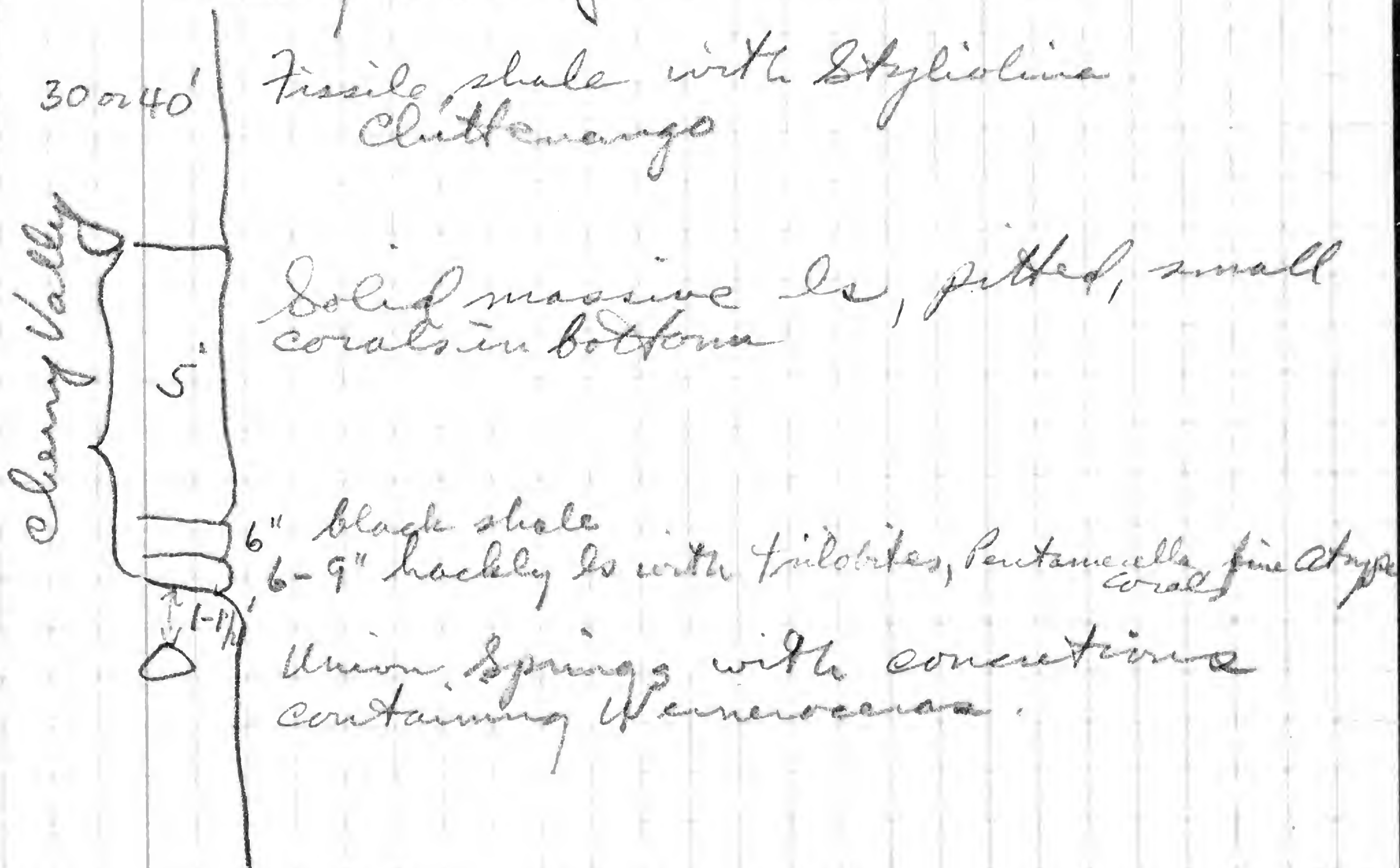
May 26 - Spent morning at Stony Creek seeing New Lisbon & Laurens. Afternoon at Houghtaling's Glen and Glen one mile W of Laurens.



1942

May 27 - Seneca ls. exposed on hill at  
big bend of US 20 about 2 mi. NE of  
Cherry Valley on old Johnson road  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi.  
NW of old Cherry Valley Turnpike. About  
6' of solid heavy but irregularly bedded  
crinoidal ls. Bedstone at base about  
6" thick. This ls is hard and quite  
unlike the Seneca at Onondaga Falls.  
Many silicified *Atrypa*.

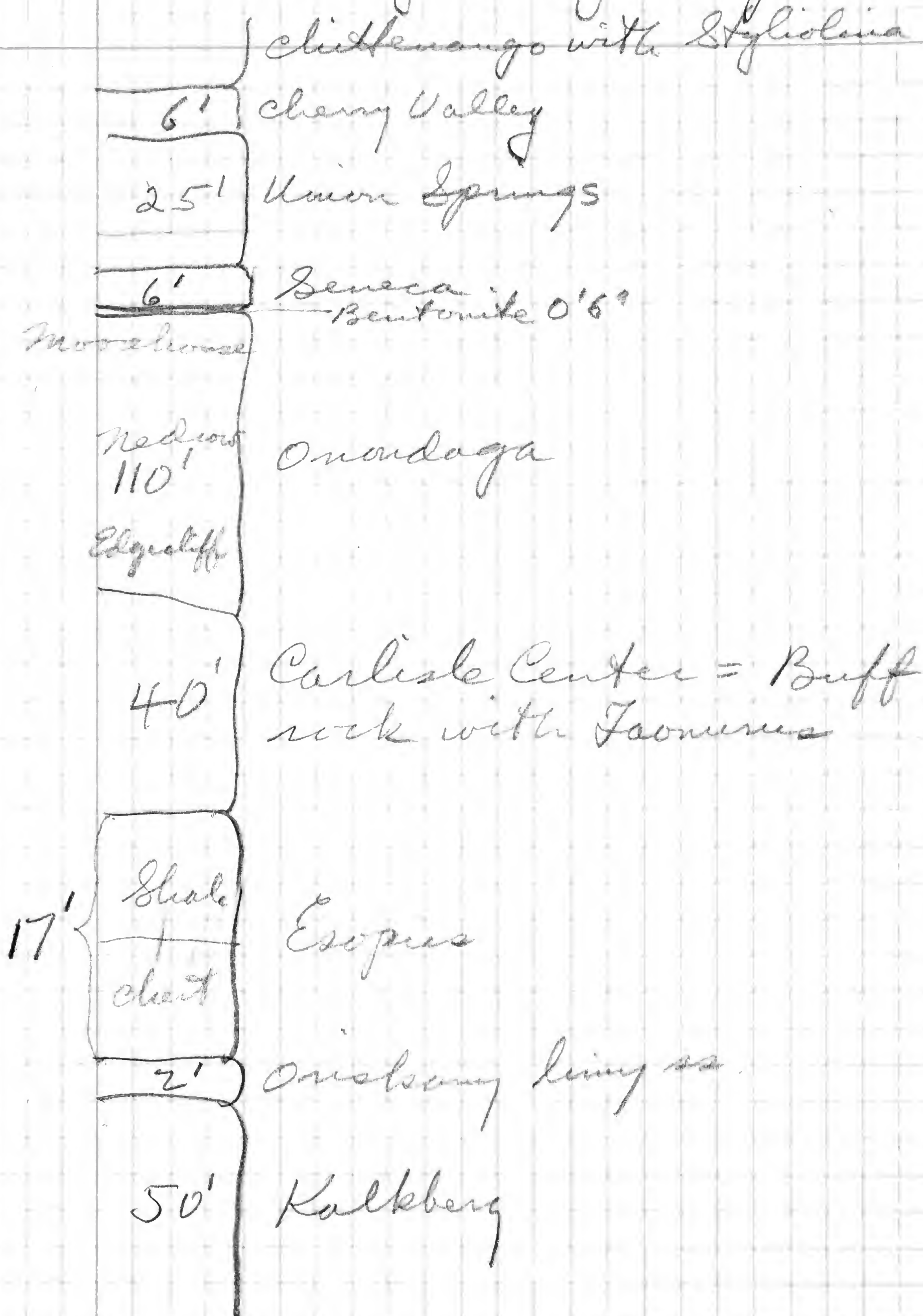
Cherry Valley on US 20 just east of  
Cherry Valley





1943

Section on US 20  
East of Cherry Valley 1-2 miles





1944

Late morning went to top of hill 1 mile to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles W of Coopers town to see McDowell Stensfish locality. Found no stensfishes. Bed appears to be high in the Skaneateles.

In afternoon saw Portland Point in Hinman Hollow. Exposure beside the road at bend where road crosses stream.

Went opposite dam at Portlandville. Here new road-work has made fine fresh exposures but collecting is poor. Storm-rolled bed in lower Laurens well exposed.

May 28. - Moved over to Cobleskill for night. Went to Summit to see Vitulina bed and Tully. Vitulina 153' above road intersection with old quarry road or about 2313'.

Went to Mill Brook to see pebble bed. This was 229' above road & old road intersection or at 1309'.

Went to West Conesville and collected *Phipidothyris*.



1945

May 29 - Went 1 mile S of Westfork  
then to Webber bridge & Stony  
Hollow on N.Y. 239. Went up  
gorge west of Palenville, to High  
Falls and then to Mt. Marion.

May 30 - Kingston to Stony Hollow  
to see Stony Hollow in R.R. cut  
then up Stony Hollow to West  
Hurley. Stopped at Port Jervis to  
collect *Vitulina* on top of  
hill NW of city. Saw coral bed  
on Pa 900 N. of Stroudsburg &  
Jully at junction 1964 99. Here  
a new cut has been made which  
will be excellent in a few years.  
Whole cut seems to be Jully!

May 31 - Left Stroudsburg 7:45 and  
arrived Washington 2 PM.

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